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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE ACCOMPANYING REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION

Sir:

This submission, which accompanies a Request for Continued Examination under 37 CFR 1.114, is responsive to the second non-final Office Action, mailed November 10, 2004, in the above-identified application. A Notice of Appeal was filed in the above-identified application on March 10, 2005. A Petition for a three-month extension of time, and the payment of the associated fee, accompanies this paper thereby extending the period for filing the Appeal Brief from May 10, 2005, to August 10, 2005.

This Amendment and Response and the Request for Continued Examination is being filed in lieu of an Appeal Brief to reopen examination and amend the application as follows,

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.